This document prepared by: Bryan W. Duke, Esq. The St. Joe Company 215 South Monroe Street Tallahassee, Florida 32301

CONSERVATION EASEMENT

STATE OF FLORIDA:

COUNTY OF LEON:

THIS CONSERVATION EASEMENT is hereby made and entered into on this 7th day of May 2003, by ST. JOE TIMBERLAND COMPANY OF DELAWARE, L.L.C., a Delaware limited liability company., whose mailing address is 1400 Oven Park Drive, Tallahassee, Florida hereinafter referred to as the "Grantor," to LEON COUNTY, FLORIDA, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, whose mailing address is Board of County Commissioners, 301 South Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, hereinafter referred to as the "Grantee."

WITNESSETH:

For and in consideration of the mutual promises and other good and valuable consideration as set forth herein, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Grantor does hereby grant to the Grantee, its successors and assigns, a perpetual Conservation Easement in accordance with Section 704.06, Florida Statutes, over and across the real property more particularly described on Exhibit "A", which is attached hereto and expressly incorporated herein, on the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth:

The following activities are prohibited within this easement, pursuant to Section 704.06, Florida Statutes:

Attachment #___/
Page__Z___ of _6

- 1. Construction or placing of buildings, roads, signs, billboards or other advertising, utilities, or other structures above or on the ground.
- 2. Dumping or placing of soil or other substance or material as landfill, or dumping or placing of trash, waste, or unsightly or offensive materials
- 3. Removal or destruction of trees, shrubs, or other vegetation.
- 4. Excavation, dredging, or removal of loam, peat, gravel, soil, rock, or other material substance in such matter as to affect the surface.
- 5. Surface use except for purposes that permit the land or water area to remain predominately in its natural condition
- 6. Activities detrimental to drainage, flood control, water conservation, erosion control, soil conservation, or fish and wildlife conservation habitat preservation.
- 7. Acts or uses detrimental to such retention of land or water areas.
- 8. Acts or uses detrimental to the preservation of the structural integrity or physical appearance of sites or properties of historical, architectural, archeological, or cultural significance.
- 9. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Grantor shall be permitted to perform the activities set forth in the plan attached hereto as Exhibit B, which also addresses maintenance responsibilities.

It is understood that the granting of this easement entitles the Grantee to enter the above described land in a reasonable manner and at reasonable times to assure compliance with the conditions of this easement.

Grantor hereby fully warrants the title to said real property and will defend the same against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever claimed by, through or under it, that it has good rights and lawful authority to grant this easement and that the same is unencumbered. Where the context of this easement requires, allows or permits, the same shall include the successors or assigns of the parties.

The easement granted hereby shall run with the land and shall enure to the benefit of the Grantee and its successors and assigns.

				Attachment #
				Page_3of
IN WI	INESS WHE	REOF, the Grantor	has caused these presents to be	duly executed in its
name by its	· VICE	_ President and it	s corporate seal to be hereto affi	xed, attached by its
		n the date first abo	ve written.	
oigned, sealed in the presence	and delivered		•	
Sna 2nd	D. Nall	1 - H -	ST. JOE TIMBERLAND DELAWARE, L.L.C., a liability company	
June 2 F.	onk faris	Taff Whete	By: J. Even 1# M. Its VI CE Pres	
	_		Bryan Z Its / Assistant S	•
STATE OF_	LORIDA			
COUNTY OF	LEON			
		_	mowledged before me this	1th day of
of ST. JOE TIN	MBERLAND (COMPANY, L.L.C	C., a Delaware limited liability con	mpany, on behalf of
he corporation	n. He/she is	personally know	wn to me or has produced	as
dentification.			Ma Jake Co Signature of Notary	elett
			Print, Type or Stamp Nam	e of Notary
			Title or Rank	
			Serial Number, If Any	



Ec	lwin	G.	Bro	wn
&	Asso	cia	tes,	Inc.

Attachment # / EXHIBIT A
Page 4 of 6
PAGE 1 OF 2-

SURVEYORS • MAPPERS • ENGINEERS

March 20, 2003

ST. JOE LAND

CONSERVATION EASEMENT

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct representation of the following described property and that this description substantially meets the minimum technical standard for land surveying (Chapter 61G17, Florida Administrative Code).

Commence at a St. Joe Paper Company concrete monument marking the Northwest corner of the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 27, Township 1 South, Range 2 East, Leon County, Florida, and thence run South 379.52 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING. From said POINT OF BEGINNING continue South 297.40 feet to the Northerly right-of-way boundary of Tram Road, thence run South 89 degrees 32 minutes 38 seconds East along said right-of-way boundary 170.00 feet, thence run North 23 degrees 39 minutes 17 seconds East 76.16 feet, thence run North 17 degrees 04 minutes 10 seconds West 99.62 feet, thence run North 34 degrees 17 minutes 00 seconds East 40.85 feet, thence run North 20.00 feet, thence run East 20.00 feet, thence run North 40.00 feet, thence run East 20.00 feet, thence run North 40.00 feet, thence run West 234.32 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING containing 1.34 acres, more or less.

The undersigned surveyor has not been provided a current title opinion or abstract of matters affecting title or boundary to the subject property. It is possible there are deeds of records, unrecorded deeds, easements or other instruments which could affect the boundaries.

WADE G. BROWN

Surveyor & Mapper

Florida Certificate No. 5959

(LB 6475)

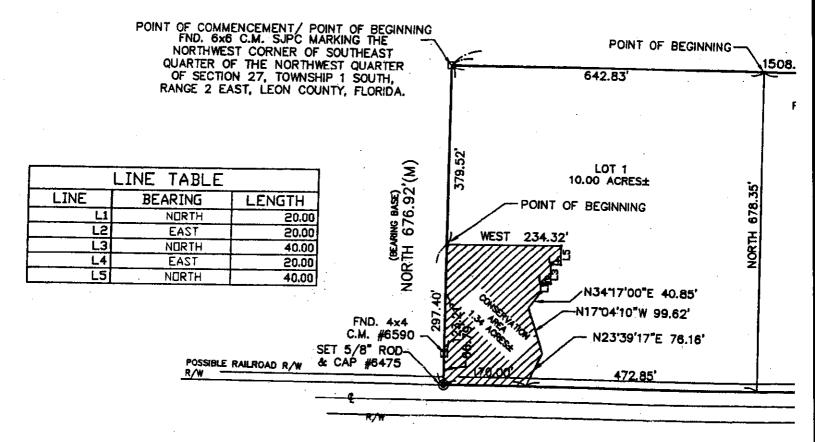
02-447PSC:E22394

I:\LEGALS\E22394.CE

Attachment #___/
Page__5 of 6

EXHIBIT "A" Page 2 of 2

ST. JOE LAND CONSERVATION EASEMENT #1



Attach	ment #_	
Page_	6	or 6

EXHIBIT "B"

Page 1 of 1 <u>VEGETATION MANAGEMENT AND MAINTENANCE PLAN</u>

Notice: This plan does not necessarily provide exemption from any other applicable local, state, or federal regulations.

A. The Following Activities Are Allowed Within The Conservation Easement:

- 1. Eradication of invasive and nuisance plant species through the application of herbicides or by physical removal of such plants. Herbicides must be applied in accordance with the manufacturer's labeling. As used herein, "invasive" species are those plants listed by the Florida Exotic Pest Plant Council's (EPPC) List of Invasive Species. "Nuisance" species are native plants not listed by the EPPC but are considered undesirable due to their competitive effects, such as grapevine, cattail, dog fennel, catbriar, etc. The Leon County Department of Community Development must be contacted prior to the eradication of nuisance plants to ensure the County agrees with designating the particular plant species as being a nuisance species.
- 2. Planting of native species that are adapted to local site conditions. Any proposed planting of additional vegetation should first be submitted to the Leon County Department of Community Development for review and approval.
- Removal of dead, diseased, or dying vegetation. Such removal must be conducted in a manner that
 minimizes disturbance to the soil surface and minimizes impacts to nearby plants other than invasive
 or nuisance species.
- 4. Prescribed fire may be administered by a certified burner who must first obtain appropriate permits. Temporary disced or mowed fire breaks may be installed pursuant to Section 10-187(e)(3) of the Land Development Code after obtaining all necessary permits, including a Leon County Environmental Management Permit
- 5. Any other activities specifically authorized by an Environmental Management Permit issued by the Leon County Department of Community Development.

B. Maintenance of Conservation Easement:

The conservation easement area must be maintained in perpetuity such that the average percent cover accounted for by invasive plant species does not exceed 5 percent and the average percent cover accounted for by nuisance plant species does not exceed 10 percent. Immediately following a maintenance event, the average percent cover by invasive plant species should be as close to 0 percent as possible.

Maintenance of the conservation easement area shall be the responsibility of the property owner upon whose property the conservation easement is located. The property owner shall be deemed to be the person or persons shown as the property owner on the tax roll of the Leon County Property Appraiser.